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## VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Jocelyn G. Boyd, Esquire Chief Clerk & Administrator Public Service Commission of South Carolina 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100 Columbia, South Carolina 29210

Re: Office of Regulatory Staff's Petition for an Order Requiring Utilities to Report the Impact of the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act

Docket No. 2017-381-A

Dear Ms. Boyd:

By this letter, the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS") hereby notifies the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") that ORS has reviewed the response filed by Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC (collectively referred to herein as the "Companies"), in the aforementioned docket and filed by the Companies on April 12, 2018. The Companies have committed to the Commission that the benefits from the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act began to accrue to customers beginning January 1, 2018, and those savings should be passed on to customers. Therefore, ORS does not object to the Companies' request for a May 31, 2018, filing date for information requested by ORS and appreciates the Companies' cooperation.

Sineerely

Jenny/R. Pinman

All Parties of Record (via U.S. Mail & E-Mail)
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